

achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Aiden Lindenlaub for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt he will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of his future accomplishments.

RECOGNIZING OFFICER ADAM  
FARNSLER AS THE  
SPRINGGETTSBURY TOWNSHIP PO-  
LICE DEPARTMENT 2017 OFFICER  
OF THE YEAR

**HON. SCOTT PERRY**

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, April 1, 2021*

Mr. PERRY. Madam Speaker, I'm honored to congratulate Officer Adam Farnsler upon earning the Springgettsbury Township Police Department (STPD) 2017 Officer of the Year award.

Officer Farnsler started his career with the STPD in January 2016, after serving two years with the Southern Regional Police Department. From the very first day of field training, it was obvious that Officer Farnsler would give his best every day. He was motivated to learn and get involved with all types of police work.

In 2017, Officer Farnsler was assigned to the night shift and spent the entire year in this position. He was relentless in his efforts to patrol Springgettsbury Township and enforce the laws of the Commonwealth. He focused on all forms of violations—from DUIs to drug offense to personal injury crime. Officer Farnsler's efforts resulted in a shift-leading performance on felony and misdemeanor arrests, non-traffic arrests, youth aid panel referrals, and total incidents handled. Officer Farnsler led the night shift with a total of 160 arrests, as well as led the department in officer-initiated reports. This again shows his level of motivation and dedication to duty. He conducted all of this while still handling an even share of crashes, traffic citations, and traffic warnings.

In a notable 2017 arrest, Officer Farnsler observed the occupants of a vehicle acting suspiciously. He began to follow the vehicle, which resulted in the driver turning off his lights to avoid police. Officer Farnsler conducted a traffic stop and was provided a false name by the driver. His diligent pursuit of the truth resulted in his discovery of a firearm with an obliterated serial number and arrest of the subject for multiple offenses.

Officer Farnsler's yearly stats only touch the surface of his law enforcement performance. He also focuses on one of the most important areas of policing—community policing. He assists citizens during myriad and numerous sensitive and emotional situations. Officer Farnsler's efforts were commended in writing by at least three different citizens writing to the department to describe how Officer Farnsler positively affected their lives during a sensitive or emotional situation. This is on top of known instances of Officer Farnsler randomly paying for someone's food or drink just to be nice or helpful. His motivation to find criminal viola-

tions is matched only by his motivation to support the community of Springgettsbury Township.

Throughout calendar year 2017, Officer Farnsler continuously performed at a high level. He maintained a heavy workload that included numerous self-initiated arrests for serious criminal and traffic investigations, in addition to his normal calls for service that he handled in an outstanding and diligent manner. Officer Farnsler continually investigated each complaint thoroughly. He did all this while continually showing compassion and empathy.

For exemplary performance, tireless dedication to the mission, and for setting the standard for all to follow, I'm honored to congratulate Officer Adam Farnsler for earning the title of the 2017 Springgettsbury Township Police Department 2017 Officer of the Year.

RECOGNIZING JULIA STRINE

**HON. JOHN JOYCE**

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, April 1, 2021*

Mr. JOYCE of Pennsylvania. Madam Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Julia Strine on winning a state championship in the 2021 PIAA Class 3A swimming contest.

Julia is a senior at Shippensburg High School. She won the girls 100-yard Breaststroke with a time of 1:02.33 winning by just .29 seconds. Julia showed true determination and grit to win the gold medal. Prior to winning this prestigious award, she placed seventh at the PIAA swimming championships her freshman year. Her desire to win a gold medal was spurred by this experience. Continued determination has led her to be named Female Athlete of the Winter in the Waynesboro Record Herald.

On behalf of the 13th District of Pennsylvania, I congratulate Julia Strine on a successful season and wish her every continued success as she pursues her education and athletic goals.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION OF AUSTIN  
KOHLMHOFFER FOR WINNING THE  
DIVISION III WRESTLING STATE  
CHAMPIONSHIP

**HON. ROBERT E. LATTI**

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, April 1, 2021*

Mr. LATTI. Madam Speaker, it is with a great deal of pride that I rise to pay a very special tribute to an outstanding high school wrestler in Ohio's Fifth Congressional District. Austin Kohlhofer of Delta High School has represented his school ably on his way to achieving the Division III State wrestling title. Austin overcame the challenges posed by intense competition in his effort to win the Division III State Wrestling Championship.

In pursuing the State championship, Austin Kohlhofer defeated his opponent in the finals of the 220-pound classification. His hard work and dedication, both on and off the mat, in achieving this accomplishment is truly outstanding. He has achieved an impressive season record bringing pride to his school and community.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in paying special tribute to Austin Kohlhofer of Delta High School. On behalf of the people of the Fifth District of Ohio, I am proud to recognize this great achievement.

HONORING THE LIFE OF FORMER  
MICHIGAN ATTORNEY GENERAL  
FRANK KELLEY

**HON. DEBBIE DINGELL**

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, April 1, 2021*

Mrs. DINGELL. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the life and legacy of Former Michigan Attorney General Frank Kelley. His contributions to the State of Michigan and to our nation are worthy of commendation.

Frank Kelley was born in Detroit, Michigan in 1924. The first in his family to graduate from college, he attended the University of Detroit where he earned his law degree and then moved to Alpena, Michigan to serve as city attorney. He was appointed to the position of Michigan Attorney General by Governor John Swainson in 1961. The longest serving attorney general in Michigan history, he served for thirty-seven years under five different Governors, both Republicans and Democrats. He often recalled what U.S. Attorney General Robert Kennedy told him shortly before his appointment to the office of Michigan Attorney General: "Reach out against injustice wherever you see it and protect the public." He truly was the people's lawyer.

During his tenure as Michigan Attorney General, he was known for his leadership on the issues of the environment, civil rights, and consumer protection. He fought back against utility companies and powerful corporations regardless of if it could damage his political career. In the early 1960s, when it remained unpopular to advocate for racial justice, he prosecuted a White gang for the killing of a young Black man named Grady Little. From combating high interest rates and price fixing to protecting our natural resources, he was relentless in the pursuit of justice for all Michiganders. A champion for the environment even in retirement, he was there in January 2020 when Governor Whitmer and Attorney General Dana Nessel announced a lawsuit against seventeen chemical companies accused of being responsible for PFAS contamination. The lasting impact of his work on the State of Michigan and its citizens is impossible to measure.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in honoring the life and legacy of former Michigan Attorney General Frank Kelley, a friend and mentor to many. He has honorably served our State and this country. Our thoughts are with the Kelley family and the people of the State of Michigan at this time as they mourn the loss of the eternal general.

ALEXANDRIA (ALEX) FLORES

**HON. ED PERLMUTTER**

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, April 1, 2021*

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Alexandria